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Report for the period Wednesday September 26- Sunday September 30, 2007

9/26 WEDNESDAY

(1) <u>CAL-BRED REPORT</u>

The Cal-Bred race for Three Year Old Fillies, claiming \$6,250.00, six furlongs failed to fill.

(2) <u>DECLARATIONS</u>

7th race #2 SHADOW RAIDER

(Tr. Clifford Delima)

Vet- sick Dr. Isbell D.V.M.

Refunds \$ 791.40

7[™] RACE # 7 CLOVER MAGIC

(Tr. Alex

Paszkeicz)

Vet-sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M.

Refunds \$ 127.00

(3) OWNER ALLAN LERCH (07BM086)

The financial complaint filed against owner Allan Lerch by San Francisco Equine alleging an overdue vet bill (\$367.00) has been resolved and the complaint withdrawn.

(4) RULING # 27 CATALINO MARTINEZ

Jockey Catalino Martinez who rode LAZER PARK in the ninth race at Bay Meadows Race Course on September 23, 2007 is suspended three (3) racing days (October 5, 6,and7,2007) for failure to make a proper effort to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference resulting in the disqualification of his mount from second to fifth. A violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules- Careless Riding).

The foregoing ruling was issued after Mr. Martinez and the Stewards reviewed the tapes of the ninth race from Sunday, September 23, 2007.

Mr. Martinez acknowledged he erred in allowing his mount to drift in, impede a rival in the stretch and prevent that horse from finishing where he might, had the interference not occurred.

(5) RULING #28 LUIS CONTRERAS

Jockey Luis Contreras, who rode TEQUILA DEMON in the seventh race at Bay Meadows Race Course on September 23, 2007, is suspended three (3) racing days (October 5, 6 and 7,2007) for failure to make a proper effort to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference. A violation of California Horse Racing Board rule # 1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules – Careless Riding).

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Contreras and the Stewards reviewed the tapes of the ninth race from Sunday, September 23, 2007.

Mr. Contreras admitted he was remiss in continuing to whip his mount right handed, causing interference to a rival approaching the finish.

(6) <u>WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON</u>

The afternoon's card ran smoothly with no noteworthy event.

(7) <u>ATTENDANCE – HANDLE</u>

On Track Attendance 1,325 N-Cal Attendance 3,419 On Track Handle \$402,624.70 N-Cal Handle \$1,171,445.90

9/27 THURSDAY

(1) <u>CAL-BRED REPORT</u>

The Cal-Bred race for Three Year Olds, claiming price \$8,000.00, six furlongs, was used open with six starters.

(2) <u>DECLARATIONS</u>

5TH race #3 SLEW IN DEMAND (Tr. Bill Mclean) Vet- unsound, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. Refunds \$ 26,259.47

(3) OWNER ELMER RAMOS (07BM110)

The Financial complaint filed against owner Elmer Ramos by Equine Sports Medicine and Surgery (Don Smith D.V.M.) has been withdrawn as the debt (\$552.36) has been satisfied.

(4) <u>INQUIRY – NO CHANGE- 3RD RACE</u>

The Stewards posted the inquiry sign following the third race in order to review the erratic behavior of #1 EARL OF FOXPOINT (Luis Martinez)

EARL OF FOXPOINT (Tr. Sherrie Monroe) bolted midway between the 1/8 pole and the 1/16 pole and was eased by jockey Martinez.

This is the second start for the two-year-old gelding and he has bolted in both races.

Ms. Monroe was informed the gelding would not be allowed to start again at this meet.

(5) ATTENDANCE – HANDLE

On Track Attendance 1,361 N-Cal Attendance 3,459

On Track Handle \$315,012.80 N-Cal Handle \$1,072,441.00

9/28 THURSDAY

(1) CAL-BRED REPORT

The Cal-Bred race for Three Year Olds, claiming \$10,500 - \$12,500, six furlongs failed to fill.

(2) <u>DECLARATIONS</u>

3rd race #1 FUEGO (Tr. Jamey Thomas) Transportation Problems Refunds \$ 491.00

#6 MEXICAN BEAUTY (Tr. John

Martin)

interests

Vet-sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. Refunds \$ 522.00

The two declarations in the 3rd race reduced the field to three wagering

which resulted in the cancellation of the show pools.

4th race # 2 TALL TONIC (Tr. Jerry

Hollendorfer)

Vet-sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. Refunds \$ 303.00

5th race #2 STAGE STAR BARBIE (Tr. Lance

Wilson)

Vet-sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. Refunds \$ 320.80

#7 PRINCESS JULIA (Tr. Angelo Tekos)
Vet- unsound, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. Refunds \$

222.00

6th race # 4 FILLIE BY THE BAY (Tr. Jeff

Bonde)

Vet-sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. Refunds \$ 274.00

7th race # 5GO ASK SHAKESPEARE (Tr. Art Sherman) Vet-sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. Refunds \$ 113.00

8th race # 1 SOLID REACH (Tr. L.A. Martinez) Vet-sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. Refunds \$ 249.00

#4 ALLEY FIGHTER (Tr. Armando Lage)
Vet-sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. Refunds \$ 284.00

(3) OWNER GEORGE PAPAPRODROMOU (97BM099)

The financial complaint filed against owner George Papaprodromou by San Francisco Equine alleging a debt of \$3,896.40 has been resolved and the complaint withdrawn.

(4) OWNER MIGUEL CONDE (97BM101)

The financial complaint field against owner Miguel Conde by San Francisco Equine alleging a debt of \$137.50 has been resolved and the complaint withdrawn.

(5) <u>CLEAR CARD</u>

This evening's racing program was conducted without incident.

(6) <u>ATTENDANCE - HANDLE</u>

On Track Attendance 5,305 N-Cal Attendance 7,953

On Track Handle \$ 416,878.80

N-Cal Handle \$ 1,175,646.20

(1) <u>CAL-BRED REPORT</u>

The Cal-Bred race for Three Year Olds and Older, claiming \$9,000-\$10,000, five and one half furlongs, failed to fill.

(2) DECLARATIONS

4[™] RACE # 6 VALID INTENT Trainers Insurance Cancelled (Tr. Manuel Calvario) Refunds \$ 281.00

7th race # 10 FAST OPERATOR Trainers Insurance Cancelled (Tr. Manuel Calvario) Refunds \$ 85.00

8th race # 9 FLUTTER GIRL Trainers Insurance Cancelled (Tr. Manuel Calvario) Refunds \$ 88.50

(3) <u>FILM REVIEW</u>

Apprentice jockey Jose Martinez- Campos and the Stewards reviewed the tapes of the seventh race from September 28, 2007. The young rider was warned about crowding horses on his inside while racing down the backstretch.

(4) <u>ASSISTANT STARTER INJURED</u>

Assistant Starter Martin Garcia was kicked in the midsection while trying to load #1 Kentucky Twisted (Frank Alvarado) into the starting gate for the fifth race.

Fortunately Mr. Garcia's safety vest absorbed most of the force and his injury was not as serious as it appeared.

(5) <u>ATTNEDANCE – HANDLE</u>

On Track Attendance 3,408 N-Cal Attendance 7,274 On Track Handle \$878,362.60 N-Cal Handle \$2,290,747.80

9/30 SUNDAY

(1) CAL-BRED REPORT

The Cal-Bred race for Three Year Old Fillies, claiming \$14,000-\$16,000, six furlongs, was used with five starters.

(2) <u>DECLARATIONS</u>

| Wallace) | 3 rd race #2 SWING OUT | (Tr. Ronnie |
|-------------------|--|------------------|
| 10,881.00 | Vet- injured in starting gate, Dr. Franklin D.V.M. | Refunds \$ |
| Miyadi) | 5 th race #5 MY PAL BEN | (Tr. Steve |
| | Vet- sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. | Refunds \$290.80 |
| Mortin | 7 th race #6 MERITSNDEMERITS | (Tr. John |
| Martin) 449.70 | Vet- injured, Dr. Isbell D.V.M. | Refunds \$ |
| Meier) | 9th race #1 NO MONEY HONEY | (Tr. Monty |

(3) RULING # 29 JAMEY THOMAS

Vet-sick, Dr. Isbell D.V.M.

Trainer Jamey Thomas is fined the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00)* pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1629 (Penalty for Late Declaration) for failure to ship the horse FUEGO, necessitating the late declaration in the third race on Friday September 28, 2007. A violation of California Horse Racing Board rule # 1698 (Failure to Start and Run).

Refunds \$50.00

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Thomas waived his right to a hearing and accepted the penalty imposed.

Mr. Thomas indicated the travel arrangement he made to ship the horse from Vallejo Fairgrounds fell through.

(4) <u>INQUIRY – DISQUALIFICATION – 7TH RACE</u>

The Stewards posted the inquiry sign following the seventh race for a review of an incident down the backstretch involving #4 BENSON ROAD (Carlos Silva) third and #1 GENERALS DAUGHTER (Barrington Harvey) eighth.

After a thorough review of the tapes of the race, interviewing the riders involved and considering the patrol judges report, the Stewards decided unanimously to disqualify #4 BENSON ROAD from third to eighth.

The tapes show #4 BENSON ROAD comes in near the 4 ½ pole, bumps and severely impedes #1 GENERALS DAUGHTER preventing the latter all chance of a better placing.

(5) <u>ATTENDANCE - HANDLE</u>

On Track Attendance 2,638
N-Cal Attendance 5,964
On Track Handle \$700,057.00
N-Cal Handle \$1,895,280.90